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Serial No.: 10/038,758

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Docket No.: H052617.1152US0

### Box Missing Parts

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned application are the following missing parts:

**Copy of Notice of Missing Parts;**

**Declaration;**

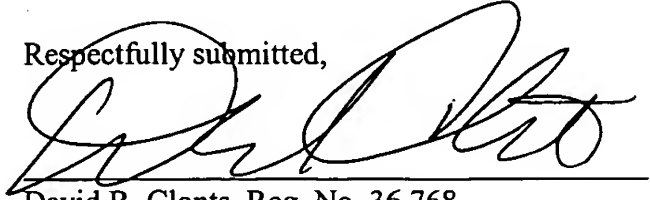
## Power of Attorney by Assignee;

Filing Fee of \$824.00; and

Surcharge of \$130.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2435. A duplicate copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David R. Clonts', written over a horizontal line.

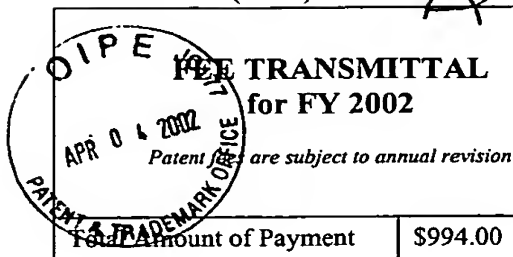
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Date:

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Complete if Known

Application Number 10/038,758  
 Filing Date December 31, 2001  
 First Named Inventor HENRY M. D'SOUZA  
 Examiner Name  
 Group / Art Unit 2182  
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Total Amount of Payment \$994.00

## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:  
 Deposit Account No.: 16-2435  
 Deposit Account Name:  
Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P.  
☒ Charge any additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 & 1.17  
☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
 See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed: ☒ Check  
☐ Money Order  
☐ Credit Card  
☐ Other

## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. Basic Filing Fee

Large Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	\$740	201	\$370	Utility Filing Fee	\$ 740
106	\$330	206	\$165	Design Filing Fee	\$
107	\$510	207	\$255	Plant Filing Fee	\$
108	\$740	208	\$370	Reissue Filing Fee	\$
114	\$160	214	\$ 80	Provisional Filing Fee	\$
Subtotal (1)					\$740.00

## 2. Extra Claim Fees

Claims	Extra	Fee (below)	Fee Paid
Total 19 - 20** =	0	x \$	= \$
Indep. 4 - 3** =	1	x \$ 84	= \$ 84
Multiple Dependent			\$

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater.

For Reissues, see below

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
\$ 18	\$ 9	Claims in excess of 20
\$ 84	\$ 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
\$ 280	\$ 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
\$ 84	\$ 42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
\$ 18	\$ .9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
Subtotal (2)		\$84.00

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. Additional Fees

Large Fee Code	Large Entity	Small Fee Code	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	\$ 130	205	\$ 65	Surcharge - late fee or oath	\$130
127	\$ 50	227	\$ 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
147	\$2,520	147	\$2,520	Request for Reexamination	\$
112	\$920*	112	\$920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	\$
113	\$1840*	113	\$1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	\$
115	\$ 110	215	\$ 55	Extension for reply within first month	\$
116	\$ 400	216	\$ 200	Extension for reply within second month	\$
117	\$ 920	217	\$ 460	Extension for reply within third month	\$
118	\$1,440	218	\$ 720	Extension for reply within fourth month	\$
128	\$1,960	228	\$ 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	\$
119	\$ 320	219	\$ 160	Notice of Appeal	\$
120	\$ 320	220	\$ 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
121	\$ 280	221	\$ 140	Request for oral hearing	\$
140	\$ 110	240	\$ 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	\$
141	\$1,280	241	\$ 640	Petition to revive - unintentional	\$
142	\$1,280	242	\$ 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	\$
143	\$ 460	243	\$ 230	Design issue fee	\$
144	\$ 620	244	\$ 310	Plant issue fee	\$
122	\$ 130	122	\$ 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\$
123	\$ 50	123	\$ 50	Petitions related to provisional applications	\$
126	\$ 180	126	\$ 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	\$
581	\$ 40	581	\$ 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$40
146	\$ 740	246	\$ 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	\$
179	\$ 740	279	\$ 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	\$
169	\$ 900	169	\$ 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	\$

Other fee (specify):

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\* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

Subtotal (3) \$170.00

Submitted by

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Date:

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10/038,758	12/31/2001	Henry M. D'Souza	H052617.1152US0

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CONFIRMATION NO. 6289

FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 02/05/2002

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$84.  
    ▪ \$84 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 954.**

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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